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Memorial Grouping Ready; Dedication on Monday Morning

Parade Will Precede Presentation to Community; Route and Services Listed

POST MEMBERSHIP IS 51

Legionnaires of Narberth on Monday night completed plans for their Memorial Day services at the Harold D. Speakman Post's best attended meeting in years.

The post now boasts a membership of 51, more than 40 per cent increase over the figure for 1936.

This Saturday graves of deceased veterans will be decorated by the Welfare Committee under the chairmanship of William H. Durbin.

On Sunday the Legionnaires in a body will attend services at 11 A. M. at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. Members of the Post Auxiliary have also been invited.

Monday at 9 A. M. the Memorial Day parade will form in front of Elm Hall under the direction of Walter O'Sullivan as marshal. It will follow the Legion Manual as to arrangement, with the place of honor reserved for the G. A. R.

Starting at 9.30 the parade will proceed on Forrest avenue to Haverford, east on Haverford to Narberth avenue; north on Narberth to Wayne; west on Wayne to Essex avenue; south on Essex to Haverford; east on Haverford to Narberth; south on Narberth over P. R. R. bridge to Woodside avenue; west on Woodside to Wynnewood road, then north to Windsor avenue.

Organizations in the line of march will include the police department, John Winthrop Post Junior Drum and Bugle Corps of Bryn Mawr; massed colors of marching units; G. A. R.; Veterans of the Spanish-American War; Naval unit of about 60 men; Narberth, Ardmore and Bala-Cynwyd American Legion posts; V. F. W.; Military Order of the Purple Heart; Gold Star Mothers; Boy Scouts; Girl Scouts.

New Registration Law Summarized for Voters

County Commissioners Issue Digest of Act Requiring Voters to Register

If you want to vote you will have to register.

This warning was given today by Montgomery County Commissioners as they issued a highly condensed digest of the new Personal Registration Act passed recently by the State Legislature.

Commissioners will set days in June, July and August for registration throughout Montgomery County. Two registrars, one Republican and one Democrat, will sit at the polling places on the designated days from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. and from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M.

The voter's card shall contain the name of the applicant, his occupation, his street number of his residence, the date of his occupancy in that residence, sex, color, place of birth, literacy or illiteracy, political affiliation, height, color of hair and eyes, date of birth, election district of his residence.

All naturalized citizens will be required to submit naturalization papers.

On Election Day, each voter must sign his name when his signature will be compared with that on his registration card.

All expenses incurred by the personal registration procedure must be borne by the County Commissioner's office.

Some of the highlights of the Act, as summarized above, are given to the public in the hope that all voters will watch for further official announcements, so that no one will be disfranchised because of failure to comply with the requirements of personal registration.

Youth Honored at Drexel

Thomas Laughlin, 410 Dudley avenue, Narberth, has been elected corresponding secretary of the Drexel Bourse, honor society of the School of Business Administration, in which membership is limited to seniors and juniors of high academic standing. Laughlin, a junior, is a graduate of the Lower Merion High School.

Rechosen Treasurer



JESSE LEON MCCREARY who has been re-elected treasurer of the Narberth School Board for 1937-38.

King's Daughters Plan to Pay Off Mortgage

Decision Regarding Narberth Home Reached at State Convention

The 42nd annual State convention of King's Daughters held in Wilkes-Barre, was attended by a number of delegates from the Narberth Circle.

The State president, Mrs. Fred Derby, of Narberth, presided at the sessions which were held May 18, 19, 20.

Delegates from the Narberth Circle included Mrs. Derby, Mrs. Frances Star, Miss Edna Super and Mrs. William Fischer.

A decision was reached to lift the \$2300 mortgage on the Narberth Home for the Aged as a Christmas gift to the Pennsylvania Order.

Besides the Narberth Home, a summer vacation home at Valley Forge and a girls' camp at Downingtown are maintained by this organization in this locality. In all, they have about 200 homes and charitable institutions, with a State membership of 4000.

This order, founded by a group of nine women in 1886 for the purpose of "developing spiritual life and stimulating Christian activities," now has circles all over the globe.

Donation day for the King's Daughters Holiday House will be held Thursday at the Home for the Aged, 110-112 Sabine avenue, Narberth. Lunch will be served at noon.

"Ten Nights in a Barroom" to be Shown Here Monday

On Monday evening at 8.15 o'clock, the latest all talking moving picture production of "Ten Nights in a Barroom" will be presented in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Narberth. This will be a mass meeting and all the churches of Narberth have been asked to participate. All are cordially invited to enjoy this stirring sound film version of the greatest temperance play of all times.

Local Students Participate in Music and Dance Festival

Students from Lower Merion High School, Ardmore, and Mater Misericordia Academy, Merion, were among the 700 who took part in the cultural olympics held at Mitten Hall, Temple University, last Friday night.

The music and dance festival was judged by Bruce A. Carey, of Narberth, music director of Girard College, and Dr. Claude M. Rosenberry, State music director.

Two New Scarlet Fever Cases

Two scarlet fever cases in Narberth were reported this week to Health Officer George B. Suplee. The patients are Peggy Smith, 3, and her sister Marie, 5, of 334 Dudley avenue.

New Street Signs Placed

New signs at borough street intersections have been erected, eighty-four sets in all, it was announced this week by George B. Suplee, superintendent of public works.

Strawberry Festival Thursday

The Ladies' Aid of the Narberth Methodist Episcopal Church, will hold a Strawberry Festival June 3 from 6 P. M. until 9 P. M. Everybody welcome.

180 Athletes Honored at All-Sports Dinner of Lower Merion High

District Champions Awarded Gold Basketballs at Annual Banquet

RUSTY CALLOW SPEAKS

Lower Merion athletes and band members, 180 strong, were honored last Monday night at the second annual All-Sports Banquet of the Senior High School, held in the new gymnasium.

The Rev. Eugene A. Kelly, pastor of St. Colman's Church, Ardmore, delivered the invocation, after which toastmaster Vincent V. Pearce introduced George H. Gilbert, principal, who extended a welcome to all present, in his own behalf and in behalf of S. Edgar Downs, superintendent of Lower Merion Schools, who was unable to attend because of illness.

E. E. Burlingame, president of the School Board, brought a greeting from the members of the board.

William H. Anderson, athletic director and basketball coach spoke of the fine spirit of L. M. athletes, and at the conclusion of his address presented members of the basketball team with gold basketballs, as a reward for the championship they brought to the school during the past season. Coach Anderson singled out Mildred Thomas for her captaincy of the girls' basketball team, the seven varsity letters she has won during the past three years, and her championship in the foul throw contest.

Basketball team members who received trophies were Raymond Beck, captain; Wellington Ramsey, Charles Hammonds, Charles Viguers, Ray Ryder, Clarence Griffith, Meritt Lentz, George Sherwood, George Paine, Harold Hintosh, Edward Anderson, manager.

Other speakers included Charles Hammond, president of the Athletic Association; Miss Edna Clark, coach of girls' sports; Albert C. Adams, Continued on Page Six

A. Balfour Brehman Elected President by Merion Civic Assn.

Heads of Organizations Present Reports on Past Year's Achievements

A. Balfour Brehman, of Merion, was elected president of the Merion Civic Association at the annual meeting held at the War Tribute House Wednesday night.

Brehman succeeds Clarence E. Hall, who has served as president of the organization for the past five years.

Mrs. Edward Bok, John F. Macklin and Newton W. Corson were elected vice-presidents, while Harold W. Scott and Mrs. P. E. Matthes were re-elected treasurer and secretary, respectively.

Five new directors were elected to the Association's Board. They are Earle Hepburn, Thomas L. Kane, John A. Lafore, Jr., Frank H. Mancill and Mrs. Lewis C. Scheffey.

Members of the board re-elected are T. Wood Andrews, T. Dun Belfield, Charles H. Beyer, Mrs. Edward W. Bok, A. Balfour Brehman, William B. Brendlinger, Newton W. Corson, Edward C. Deardon, William H. Polwell, Clarence E. Hall, J. S. W. Holton, John H. Lawson, Kenneth S. Continued on Page Six

Football Only Man's Game Left, Coach Tells Rotary

"Football is the only game left that has escaped the feminine touch," Maurice J. "Clipper" Smith, head coach of Villanova's gridiron heroes, told Bala-Cynwyd-Narberth Rotarians at the Overbrook Golf Club Tuesday.

"We'll keep them out of the huddle if we can," he added.

The Wildcats' mentor then proceeded to depart from the usual talk on character-building, etc., to give a number of humorous and human interest incidents that had occurred during his career as player and coach.

Birthday flowers were presented by the president, W. J. Drennen, to Dr. Barclay L. Jones, Joseph J. Skelton, Jr., Dr. F. Munro Purse and Ralph S. Dunne. The latter three, known as the "Club Triplets," were born on the same day of the month, May 24. Dr. Jones' birthday is May 15.

Narberth Takes First Two, Meets Brookline at Boro Field Monday

Al Herrmann Wins Pitching Duel With Severn at Gladwyne

CLANCY SHUTS OUT U. D.

Narberth's first home game Monday morning against Brookline will see two present Main Line League leaders in action.

Whether both will be leaders when Memorial Day arrives, however, is another question. On Saturday Narberth plays at Pottstown, while on Sunday the Davismen journey to Downingtown, the latter also a winner of its first two games.

The opener between Narberth and Gladwyne at the latter community's dedication of its new playfield was a heartbreaker for the home team. The Merion Square boys played over their heads in an attempt to win the game while the visiting notables looked on.

For thirteen innings Georgie Severn and Al Herrmann each held the opposition to one lone run, Gladwyne getting the tally in the first when Meyers walked and scored on Hess' double. Narberth's first score came in the seventh when Ray Stoviak hit his second triple and went home on Tanny Ralston's single.

Thereafter there was no more scoring by Gladwyne or for Narberth either until the fourteenth, when Stoviak again started things with a single. Then singles by Ralston and Claude Bailey and a double by Buddy Walker brought in three more runs, to take the game from Gladwyne, 4-1. While Herrmann issued five walks, he also struck out eight men and held Gladwyne to only eight hits in the fourteen innings.

Stoviak, Villanova outfielder, again shared honors with the pitcher Sunday against Upper Darby, when his double scored hurler Clancy for the game's second run, with himself scoring the third and final score on a single. Continued on Page Six

Garden Club Flower Show Wed. Open to Local Exhibitors

Annual Spring Affair Promises to Excel Previous Bala-Cynwyd Events

The annual spring flower show of the Garden Club of Bala-Cynwyd will be held Wednesday from 2 to 9.30 P. M., at the clubhouse of the Woman's Club, Cynwyd.

All garden owners are invited to exhibit in this show providing the plants and flowers have been in their possession at least six months.

It is expected that this year's show will be larger and finer than previous affairs since the weather has been favorable for the growing of gorgeous blooms.

There are 15 classes offered for entries in roses. The American Rose Society will give a silver medal to the club member scoring the highest number of blue ribbons in classes 1 to 12, a bronze medal for the highest number of points, and a membership in the society to the member winning the blue ribbon in class 14.

The seven classes in Iris this year are of special interest because the President's prize will go to the club member winning the most blue ribbons in Iris.

The serving of afternoon tea is a delightful new innovation. Mrs. Harrie Bell will be in charge. If the Continued on Page Six

School Directors Re-Elect Treasurer and Secretary

Narberth's school directors at their May meeting re-elected J. L. McCreary treasurer for one year and Dr. Walter Steckbeck secretary for a four-year term.

The length of terms are fixed by law so that Dr. Steckbeck, whose term as a board member expires this year, either must be re-elected a director or will resign as secretary next year. The term of Mrs. H. R. Rinehart, vice-president, also expires this year.

The board as of May 1 filed liens for taxes amounting to \$7922. According to Dr. Steckbeck the amount is about \$2000 less than for 1936 and approximately \$7000 less than the 1933 high figure for liens.

L. M. Rod and Gun Club's Spring Outing on Saturday

Friends, families and members of the Lower Merion Rod and Gun Club will hold their Spring outing this Saturday afternoon on the Eastern Counties Game and Protective Association grounds at Paoli.

There will be small and large bore pistol and rifle shooting, clay targets, also surf, fly and bait casting events, and a water hoiling contest.

Athletic events for the children are also scheduled.

Prizes will be awarded to all winners, and refreshments will be served. Members and friends are invited.

Valley Stream, nearby, has been stocked for fishing.

Mrs. Miller Retires as Junior Advisor

New Officers Installed and Committee Chairmen Announced at Banquet

Because of the ruling that says "no officer can serve for more than two consecutive terms," Mrs. Joseph H. Miller, Junior Advisor from the Senior Club, resigned last Thursday evening at the Juniors' closing banquet.

She has been very faithful to the Juniors, having missed but two meetings the whole four years she was in office. She was presented with a personal gift of jewelry as a small token of the esteem and appreciation the Juniors have for her.

Mrs. J. H. Jefferies, Jr., chairman of the banquet and a director of the club, made the presentation speech.

At the close of the dinner, the new officers were installed, namely, Miss Katharine Loughlin, recording secretary; Mrs. Robert Leitch, treasurer, and Miss Muriel Wales, director.

Mrs. Spencer V. Smith, who will serve as president for another year, expressed her appreciation of all the co-operation she has had in the past and the hopes and plans she has for the next year.

Announcement for the committee chairmen of 1937-38 was: Braille Committee, Miss Kathleen Wheeler; Citizenship, Martha Maxwell; Dance, Irma Ruth Minick; Drama, Mrs. R. W. Conly; Education, Mrs. F. B. Gray; Fellowship, Mrs. M. F. Purse; Hospitality, Mrs. T. A. Fischer; Finance, Miss Jean Staples; International Relations, Miss E. K. Crosley; Legislation, Mrs. S. H. Brown; Membership, Mrs. J. H. Jefferies, Jr.; Music, Miss M. L. Glessner; Press, Mrs. W. S. Hunsicker; Program, Mrs. F. C. Hutchinson; Public Welfare, Mrs. Glenn Williams; Literature, Mrs. E. C. Clarke; Sub-Junior Advisors, Miss Evelyn Jefferies and Miss Myrtle Schliff.

Mrs. E. C. Griswold will be the new Junior Advisor from the Senior Club it was announced and the Juniors look forward with much pleasure to having her with them.

Over 50 girls attended the banquet and after the officers, committee chairmen, etc., had given their yearly reports the evening was given over to bridge.

The last dance of the year will be held June 5 at the Overbrook Golf Club.

The Book Club will hold its supper party June 7 at the home of Mrs. Robert W. Conly, 11 Woodside avenue, Narberth.

—M. H.

Friends Help John F. Smith Celebrate 80th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Smith, of 211 Elm terrace, Narberth, were hosts to twenty-five relatives and friends last Saturday at a dinner given in honor of Mr. Smith's 80th birthday anniversary. Mr. Smith was the recipient of many gifts from his well wishers and a grand and glorious time was had by all.

The Smiths have been residents of Narberth for over thirty years.

Among those at the party were Mildred S. Smith, their daughter, and three nephews, C. Warner Smith and Lyle G. Smith, of Narberth, and Kenneth Smith, of Germantown.

Earl Fletcher Smith, their son, was the first young man from Narberth who died in service during the World War.

Davis' Store Robbed of \$600 Merchandise on Sunday Morning

Thieves Leisurously Remove Pen Sets and Watches From Boxes

SMASH GLASS AT REAR

Robbers working quietly Sunday morning took \$600 worth of merchandise from Davis' store in Narberth and escaped.

The thefts occurred between the hours of 1 and 4 A. M. as Howard Davis, proprietor, left the store at 1 o'clock and the robbery was discovered at 4 o'clock by Patrolman Hugh Waters when he noticed that the thieves had smashed a window at the rear of the Haverford avenue place of business.

Merchandise taken consisted of pen and pencil sets worth \$300, about \$100 worth of watches and \$180 worth of cigarettes. The thieves leisurely removed the pen sets and watches from their boxes and dumped the latter on the floor. About \$15 in cash was taken from the cash register. Approximately \$150 of Narberth Baseball Club receipts in a box near the register were overlooked.

According to E. H. Davis, manager of the store, it was the first time the store, oldest in Narberth, has been robbed in its twenty-eight years of establishment.

It is thought that the thieves were well aware of police activities and had planned the robbery for some time in advance. Ordinarily two patrolmen are assigned at night in the borough, but Waters was the only man on duty Saturday night.

While he was on his beat elsewhere in the borough, possibly under the surveillance of a lookout for the thieves, the latter were able to put out the store's night light and leisurely loot the place.

Recently a patrolman was added to the borough force, making a total department of a sergeant on duty days, with three men on eight hour shifts and the fourth on duty nights.

Members of Honor Society Hear Speaker

Dr. Clements Addresses L. M. Students Observing 'National Honor Society Day'

At National Honor Society Day at the Lower Merion High School, Dr. Rex S. Clements, the new pastor of the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, was the speaker.

Scholarship, character, leadership and service, the principles of the society, were brought to the forefront in his inspirational talk.

Dr. Clements officiated at the induction of the new members of which there were 24 Seniors and 13 Juniors.

Harrison M. Berry, Jr., president of the society, extended a welcome to the new members and the response was given for the newly elected members by Archie Tift.

Roland Paige, tenor, sang a solo, "Dedication," by Franz. He was accompanied by Virginia Rankin.

Seniors who were inducted were Eleanor Anderson, Marjorie Barkman, Ruth Burkhardt, Elizabeth Corman, Lena De Marco, Robert Fraser, Martin Gill, Mary Ruth Gilmore, Richard Herndon, Judy Hess, Tubby King, Patricia Leopold, Harry Maxwell.

Ann Moorhouse, Wellington Ramsey, Virginia Rankin, Jean Reid, Robert Ritchings, Malcolm Rowe, Jack Schwabenland, Stephen Slocum, Ernest Smith, Mary Weir and Samuel White.

Juniors, Beatrice Brown, Mary Gianguilio, Betty Hanger, Jerene Hayward, Donald Lynch, William Martindale, Richard Metius, Lucille Miller, Patricia Reilly, Clifford Roberts, Robert Rowley, Ben Severs and Archie Tift.

4 Houses Under Construction in Borough at Cost of \$24,000

Joseph M. O'Connor, Inc., of Dudley avenue, has taken out permits for the erection of two houses on Sabine avenue and also for two houses on Berkley avenue, which is off Sabine avenue between Beechwood lane and Homewood avenue. The estimated construction cost of the four single family residences is \$24,000, according to George B. Suplee, building inspector.

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War on High Speed Cars

Discontinuance of the manufacture of automobiles capable of going faster than fifty miles an hour is strongly urged by the Christian Herald, one of the Nation's leading religious publications. The title of the editorial is "Stop Slaughter on the Roads" and is, in part, as follows:

"Thirty-five thousand six hundred and ninety-five men, women and children were killed on the highways and streets of the United States in 1936, and 967,840 more were maimed or injured.

"Of all the babies born in the United States during 1936, by the records of that year one out of every six is fated to be eventually in a serious automobile accident unless—unless this slaughter on the roads is stopped.

"We do not believe that anything short of designing and building engines for the commercial trade, pleasure, and passenger traffic incapable of making more than fifty miles an hour will meet the situation which it is now generally agreed represents the chief menace of highway travel.

"Indeed, so general is the agreement that the automotive industry itself is turning toward such a solution of the problem. The industry has recognized the fact that high-speed emphasis has been overdone. The Automobile Manufacturers' Association has eliminated reference to high-speed possibilities from motor-car advertising, and salesmen are being discouraged from stressing speed factors. But it is hardly to be expected that the industry, without support from the general public and perhaps without legal action from law-making bodies, will be able to meet this crisis."

Another Compromise?

Regardless of his statement that the current Supreme Court controversy in no way motivated his decision, Mr. Justice Van Devanter's announced intention of retiring from the country's highest tribunal is bound to exert considerable influence over legislation now pending in Congress.

In a way it may be viewed as another evidence of the spirit of compromise latterly injected into the struggle. A conservative of conservatives, Mr. Van Devanter's retirement will enable President Roosevelt to name his first appointee to the Supreme bench. Faced with almost certain defeat if he persists in trying to shove his more drastic legislation through Congress, the President now is afforded a means of graceful "face-saving" by availing himself of the opportunity so timely offered.

On the other hand, the country as a whole will be able to avoid a knock-down, drag-out fight on the issue. Such a fight would be sure to be unpleasant; it might have dangerous results. Congress steadily is becoming more in tune with popular humor which seems very largely averse to any tampering with the Court.

Mr. Van Devanter's announcement may, as he is bound to point out, be purely coincidental. But none can deny it is most timely.

Our classified ads are real salesmen, visiting hundreds of homes each week.

Engagement Announced



—Bachrach Studios.
MISS CAROLYN MARY HOWELL daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Rushton Howell, of Wayne, whose engagement to Mr. David Andrew Gordon Mutch, son of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Mutch, of Wynnewood, has been announced.

Harkins Urges Booklet on Local Institutions

New Club Leader Would Publicize Community; Officers Elected

"I would like to see a booklet issued by the Neighborhood Club on 'Your Bala-Cynwyd' which would tell our residents, especially new comers to the community, about our fine schools, our merchants, our library and the other advantages of living here."

Thus Percy S. Harkins sounded the keynote for renewed enthusiasm for service by the Neighborhood Club upon assuming its presidency Tuesday night at the Cynwyd Fire Hall.

He also pointed out that the club's board should make a careful study and check on materials and construction methods in building, now on the increase in the community.

Mr. Harkins also started plans for the annual Fourth of July celebration at the Cynwyd School, sponsored by the club, by appointing the new vice-president, Harry H. Fisher, as the committee chairman and asking all members present to contribute a dollar bill each for the event. Regret was again expressed on the death of Harry Ferreira, who for more than two decades ably collected and administered the funds as treasurer of the Fourth celebration.

H. Gleason Mattoon turned over the gavel to his successor at 10:45 P. M. following the long session and vote on the proposed amendments to the by-laws.

Re-elected to serve with Mr. Harkins and Mr. Fisher were David G. Wilson as secretary-treasurer and Lambert Ott, Jr., as solicitor.

Of the twelve directors chosen, two from each of the following six districts, the first listed was elected for one year, and the second for two years:

District 1 bounded by City line, Old Lancaster road, Highland avenue and P. R. R.—Grover C. Thompson, Charles S. Shinn.

District 2, City line, P. R. R., Schuylkill River—T. Ewing Montgomery, Arthur R. Flanagan.

District 3, Highland avenue, Old Lancaster road, Levering Mill road, Bala avenue, P. R. R.—James E. Hammer, Chauncey P. Colwell.

District 4, Levering Mill road, Belmont avenue, P. R. R., Bala avenue—Henry J. Kite, Charles E. Neville.

District 5, Montgomery avenue, Woodbine avenue, Shady lane, Bryn Mawr avenue, Levering Mill road—William G. Greer, William H. Doubler.

District 6, Levering Mill road, Bryn Mawr avenue, Rock Hill road, Conshohocken State road, Rock Hill road, Belmont avenue—William H. Walter and Henry E. Sharp.

Annual reports were read by the treasurer and several committee chairmen.

Chauncey P. Colwell, chairman of the Public Improvements Committee, expressed his belief that the removal of the Sun Oil building at the intersection of Levering Mill road and Montgomery avenue, was a matter of time since the township authorities had the matter of its hazard as a menace to traffic under consideration.

President Mattoon appointed as judge of the election, E. S. Tomlinson; as tellers, J. J. Skelton, Jr., and Robert A. Anderson.

About fifty-five women attended the luncheon and garden party on Tuesday given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Bala-Cynwyd Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Baker, on Bala avenue.

Survey and Recommendations of L. M. Planning Commission

WELSH SETTLEMENT IN LOWER MERION

Penn early interested Welsh Friends in his endeavors to colonize his American territory and sold to a group of them a tract of 40,000 acres of land (at ten cents an acre) which were to "lie contiguous as in a barony." Their hopes for a united tract, or an actual barony as some claim, where they might govern themselves within reason and maintain their own customs against intrusion, were doomed to disappointment when Penn failed to live up to his agreement and separated their holdings. However, Lower Merion was entirely within the Welsh tract, and was, in fact, the first settled.

A grant of lands along the Schuylkill near the proposed city of Philadelphia, forming a large part of Lower Merion, was given in September, 1681, to the first of seven companies of Welsh Friends, the Thomas and Jones "Company" of Merionethshire. Dr. Edward Jones, of Bala in Merionethshire, and his party, "40 souls," were the first to arrive, sailing on the ship "Lyon" and landing in August, 1682. Edward Jones took up his lands at Wynnewood, named after his wife's father, Dr. Thomas Wynne, friend and physician to William Penn and first speaker of the first Pennsylvania Assembly.

William Penn, arriving in America for the first time two months later, proceeded with the building of Philadelphia and his negotiations with the Indians. In 1683, treaties signed by Chiefs Wingebone, Secane, Iduquoquehan and others secured for Penn the Indian rights to a large territory which included Lower Merion. These treaties refer to the Schuylkill River by its Indian name of Manaiunk.

Meanwhile and up to about 1700, the Welsh continued to arrive in considerable numbers, clearing and planting their land, building their homes, some of which are standing and proudly occupied today, and concerning themselves with their Friends' meetings, around which their religious and "town" affairs centered. Soon constructed, the Merion Meeting House, so intimately associated with the settlement of Pennsylvania and the first permanent place of worship within it, still stands at the corner of Montgomery avenue and Meeting House lane. Some doubt exists as to the exact date of construction, but whether the stone inscribed "1695" refers to the completion of the oldest stone portion, with full completion in 1713, or the construction in frame in 1695, rebuilt of stone in 1713, seems of no great moment. Lower Merion is justly proud of this monument to its original Welsh settlers.

"Harriton," at Old Gulph and Harriton roads was built by Rowland Ellis, a Welsh Friend who settled here in 1697 on a large tract which he called "Bryn Mawr." Renamed by Charles Harrison, who acquired it in 1719, it later became the residence of his son-in-law, Charles Thomson, a leading patriot, Secretary of the Continental Congress, and a renowned scholar who here translated the Bible from the Greek to English. Charles Thomson donated the land for the meeting house of the Lower Merion Baptist Church, organized in 1808, located at Old Gulph and Roberts roads.

For a number of reasons, it was impossible to retain Lower Merion as a purely Welsh settlement and other peoples entered and established their homes. A group of German Lutherans about 1765 organized the St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ardmore, second in age only to the Merion Meeting House.

Lower Merion residents early recognized the value of its creeks as a means of furnishing power for mills and, although Penn claimed a monopoly on mills and enforced it for a while, mills of various types were soon built. The grist mill of John Roberts, on Mill Creek, is supposed to have been the third in the colony. Paper mills were of importance in colonial times.

The General Wayne Inn, of colonial traditions, still stands on Montgomery avenue, just east of the Merion Meeting House. Generals Washington and Lafayette are supposed to have slept there. It was given its present name when General Anthony Wayne was received there after his western expedition against the Indians. It was the voting place for the whole township from 1806 to 1867. In 1830, the first post office of Lower Merion was established in the General Wayne Inn.

THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR Although Welsh and Germans predominated in Lower Merion at the time of the war, both opposed to the bearing of arms, there was recruited in Lower Merion the First

Company, Seventh Battalion of Associates of Philadelphia County. John Roberts, who is said to have lived at Mill Creek and Gulph roads, was executed in 1778 for assistance to the enemy. His property was confiscated and sold, the proceeds being given to the University of Pennsylvania.

Washington's army marched across Lower Merion in 1777, camping on September 14 in Price's field, extending on Montgomery avenue from Meeting House Lane probably to Old Gulph road. The Congress, fleeing from Philadelphia at the approach of the British, traveled through the township to Lancaster.

With the British occupation of Philadelphia and the efforts of the Americans to stop provisions from entering the city, it was inevitable that skirmishes should take place between the opposing forces. One such took place near the Black Horse Tavern at City avenue and Old Lancaster road between the British and American militia under General James Potter. Residents of the township were called upon to furnish supplies to both forces, damages being assessed later against the British to the amount of 3413 pounds 11 shillings.

Representatives of Garden Club to Attend Meeting

Mrs. Walter C. Neely and Mrs. W. H. Haydock, both of Merion, will leave Wednesday to represent the Garden Club of Bala-Cynwyd at the meeting of the State Federation of Garden Clubs at Skytop Lodge in the Poconos. Other members of the club who will attend the conference to be held Wednesday and Thursday will be Mrs. Irwin and Miss Helen Birkinbine.

About thirty women took the pilgrimage to the local gardens Thursday, when they visited Mrs. William B. Kunkel's garden in Ardmore, Mrs. J. Emott Caldwell's garden in Bryn Mawr, Mrs. Lambert Cadwalader's in Villanova, and the Llewellyn Gardens near Phoenixville. Mrs. Walter C. Neely was in charge of the trip.

Commencement at Miss Wharton's School

The commencement exercises of Miss Wharton's School, Bryn Mawr, will be held on Tuesday, June 1, at eleven o'clock. Diplomas will be awarded to Catherine D. Bowen, Frances H. Patterson and Elizabeth S. Wharton.

Among the honors to be awarded are the School Medal for excellence in all subjects to Margaretta D. Wharton, the Jean d'Arc Medal for the best work in French to Catherine Bowen, the spelling trophy to Anne Judson, the Twin Cup for neatness in all branches of school work to Barbara Hindman, and the cup for the championship in athletics to the Red Team.

Alumnae Club to Have Picnic

The Philadelphia Alumnae Club of the Pennsylvania College for Women will hold its final meeting and picnic at the Out-of-Door Fireplace on the estate of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bruce Byall, on Bryn Mawr avenue, Penn Valley, next Tuesday.

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The Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter of N. S. D. A. R. will hold its annual garden and bridge party June 15 at the home of the regent, Mrs. Franklin R. Lindsay, on Wynnedale road, Narberth, at 2 P. M.

Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, is in charge of the affair and reservations may be made with her at Narberth 2551 or with Mrs. Lindsay at Narberth 2494.

The proceeds will be given to the scholarship fund at Tamasee School. There will be a door prize, a prize for each table and refreshments. Tickets are 50 cents each or \$2 a tea table. In case of rain, the party will be held indoors.

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Elected Officer of Literary Society

James E. Meredith, Jr., of Merion, has been chosen to serve as president of the John Marshall Literary Society in the election held at Mercersburg Academy.

Meredith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Meredith, of Merion. He is also a member of the News Board, the Press Club, Stony Batter Dramatic Club and he is president of the Y. M. C. A.

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"Inheritors" is traditionally the program at Hedgerow on Memorial Day. This year a special matinee of Susan Glaspell's picture of the American scene will be performed Monday at 2:30 P. M.

Tonight, the program includes "Androcles and the Lion" and "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets" which will be repeated again Tuesday night.

"Noah" will be given Wednesday and "Wife to a Famous Man" and "Autumn Fires" on Thursday night.

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Dr. and Mrs. Russell S. Boles, of Woodbine avenue, Penn Valley, will entertain at dinner June 24 in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Boles. The guests will later attend the dance which Mr. and Mrs. John Winthrop Claghorn, of Annesley, Chestnut Hill, will give at the Flourtown Branch of the Philadelphia Country Club in honor of their daughter, Miss Anne S. Claghorn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hunter Boardman, Jr., of Narberth, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Tuesday, May 25. Mrs. Boardman is the former Miss Alice Rump, of Cynwyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Brearly, of Manor road, Penn Valley, spent the week-end at their summer home in Ocean City.

Mrs. Martha W. Bloom, who has been spending a week in New York City, returned to her home on Shirley road, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Corrigan, of Narberth Hall, will spend the Memorial Day week-end in Hartford, Conn., visiting Mrs. Corrigan's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Hein, Woodbine and Brookhurst avenues, Penn Valley, this week are moving to their new home, at 1419 Orchard Way, Rosemont.

Miss Gerry Nash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Nash, who is a student at William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va., will return to her home at Narberth and Price avenues, about the middle of June.

Mr. David J. Speck, of Washington, D. C., and his sister, Miss Dorothy Speck, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Speck, of Woodbine avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Speck and Mrs. Speck's nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Brown, of Bronxville, New York, will leave for a motor trip over the Memorial Day week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whipple and their sons, Kenneth Whipple, Jr., and Walter Whipple, 2d, of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Narberth, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Marsh, of Montgomery avenue, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Perry, Jr., of Wynnewood road, and Mr. and Mrs. Stevens Tasker, are returning this week from a motor trip to Williamsburg, Va., Myrtle Beach, S. C., and Elkins, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Sharp, of Woodside avenue, will entertain at a dinner Sunday evening at the Brookline Country Club in honor of their son, J. Raymond Sharp, Jr., to celebrate his eighth birthday. The guests will be his classmates of the second grade of the Narberth School.

Miss Elizabeth Mahony, of New York City, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Frank X. Purcell, of Wynnewood Court, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leary, of 131 Merion avenue, will leave next Wednesday for their summer home at Wildwood Crest, where they will spend several months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stahl, of Essex avenue, will leave Saturday for a stay at Lancaster, Centre Hall and Mont Alto, Pa. At Mont Alto, they will visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hawthorn, returning June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Stahl and Mrs. J. C. Batchelor, of 308 Essex avenue, entertained the Sunshine Bible Class at the home of Mrs. Batchelor Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Jackson and her two sons, Thomas, Jr., and Peter, of S. Narberth avenue, are visiting Mrs. Jackson's sister, in Wellsboro.

Among those who attended the annual luncheon given at the Ritz-Carlton on Monday by the Republican Women of Pennsylvania were Mrs. Edwin C. Town, Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, Mrs. Arno P. Mowitz and Mrs. Edgar H. Cockrill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Floyd, formerly of Baird road, Merion, will entertain at a buffet supper and bridge party Saturday evening at their new home on Brookway road.

Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock, of Montgomery avenue, gave a tea Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. R. A. Mizner, chairman of the Membership Committee of the Women's Community Club.

Her daughter, Miss Louise Woodcock, who is a student at Hood College, will go to Pittsburgh for a visit before returning to her home about June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lafore, of Penn Valley Farms, Penn Valley, will entertain at a buffet supper this Friday following the rehearsal for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Helen Lafore, and Mr. Edward Forstall, of Rosemont, which will take place on the following day at Penn Valley Farms. The guests will be the Reverend Dr. and Mrs. Gibson Bell and the members of the bridal party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison M. Berry, of Narbrook Park, spent the week-end in Chambersburg, attending the Inauguration of President Paul Swain Havens. Mr. Berry represented Bowdoin College at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Keenan, of Forrest avenue, returned Monday from a three weeks' trip to Pasadena and San Diego stopping en route at the Grand Canyon.

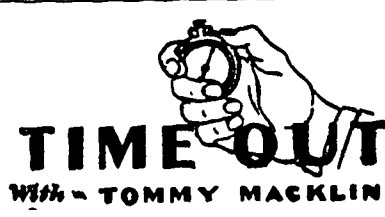
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crumb and their daughter, Miss Mary Jean Crumb, of Cleveland, Ohio, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Stoudt, of Woodside avenue, over the Memorial Day week-end.

Miss Nellie M. Wetherill, of Dudley avenue, will leave for her home in Strathmere, N. J., on Thursday to remain until some time in November.

Mrs. Philip Woodcock, of the Baird Apartments, will entertain at a small luncheon and bridge party next Tuesday.

Miss Betty Mills of 401 Dudley avenue, Narberth, sailed on the North German Lloyd S. S. Reliance on Thursday from New York for a ten days' cruise to Nassau and Havana.

Mrs. Clarence Speakman, of Hampden avenue attended the alumni meeting of the State Teachers College, Millersville, last Saturday. She also attended a class reunion last Friday. The class was entertained at the estate of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Witmer on Lititz pike near Lancaster.



The last four games played by Lower Merion's baseball team creates some sort of a record. These games include two played with Norristown and one each with Haverford and Abington. Four finer exhibitions would be hard to find in the records of high school baseball.

The first of these games was played at Norristown with Tyson pitching against Behney, the Blue Eagles' star hurler. The home team finally won, 2 to 0, although Tyson held the Blue to two singles for seven innings. Behney topped this performance with a no-hit affair. At Haverford the next day, Ray Ryder did the hurling for Lower Merion and defeated our selection for top honors in the league, Bill Turkington, 2 to 1. On the following Friday Ryder returned to the mound and gave Behney and Norristown a return defeat, 1 to 0. Ryder gave up four hits while his mates got five off Behney's hurling. Then on Monday last, the team playing at Abington, lost 1 to 0, with Lower Merion collecting one hit and Abington five. Ryder also pitched this game.

Haverford will play the return game on Pennypacker Field before this article is printed, and the chances are that Ryder will again do the twirling and Turkington will oppose him. This will undoubtedly be the fifth pitchers' battle in a row.

Cunningham of Abington, Turkington of Haverford, Ryder of Lower Merion and Behney of Norristown make up a splendid quartet of high school pitchers. Any game that has any two of them on the mound will be a tight game all the way with hits at a premium.

We had a real disappointment over the District I-P. I. A. A. track meet last Saturday. Lower Merion was leading the field until the final event—the javelin throw. Norristown, as usual, placed first in this event and won the meet by a couple of points.

Howard Witte ran the quarter mile for a new record—a fraction over 52 seconds. This is good time for a high school boy. Back in my time 52 seconds was still good running for the quarter mile in almost all of the college meets. It was a rare occasion when any of the best quarter milers dropped under 52 seconds.

I can remember when one of my teammates—Commodore Cochran—went to Chicago in the early twenties and set a new Inter-Collegiate record for the distance in a little under 49 seconds. Unless a crack 440 man clips 48 seconds now he can't break into the news. If my memory is any good, the world's record is around 46.2, held by Bill Carr, a product of Arkansas and Billy Penn.

The last serious beaming of a ball player before Mickey Cochrane was mowed down by Bump Hadley Tuesday afternoon was the one that resulted in the untimely death of Cleveland's shortstop, Chapman, many years ago. Carl Mays, submarine hurler for the New York Yankees, hit Chapman on the left temple and the sound of the skull cracking could be heard all over the Polo Grounds. The moment the ball struck him down, every person in the park knew that Chapman's work was over. He died some hours later in the hospital. Rather strange and also pointless that Mickey should be dangerously hurt by a pitcher from the Yankee staff.

**Martin V. Case to Wed
Agnes May Brett June 5**

The marriage of Miss Agnes May Brett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Brett, of 5117 Hawthorne street, Philadelphia, to Mr. Martin V. Case, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Case, of 1516 Darby road, Brookline, formerly of Narberth, will take place June 5 at 3 o'clock, in St. Bartholomew's Church, Jackson and Sangar streets, Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Brett will be the maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Mary Case, Miss Gertrude Broomehead and Mrs. Victor Hipple.

Mr. Walter Case, Jr., will act as best man for his brother, and the ushers will include Mr. Bernard Bergeron, Mr. John Gulch and Mr. Victor Hipple.

Upon their return from a wedding trip, Mr. Case and his bride will reside at 124 North Narberth avenue. They will be at home after June 8.

Engagement Announced

Mrs. Stuart B. Weiss, of Narberth, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eva L. Weiss, to Mr. Walter H. Ellis, of Philadelphia. Miss Weiss is a graduate of Lower Merion High School.

Named College News Editor

Miss Olive Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Bates, of N. Narberth avenue, has been appointed news editor of the Wilson Billboard, the weekly newspaper at Wilson College. Miss Bates is a member of the class of 1938.

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Girl Scout News

At the close of Ardmore Girl Scout Troop 93's Father and Daughter Banquet held at St. Mary's Church in Ardmore, Rev. Louis W. Pitt, R. R. Van Valkenburgh, Mr. Knowles, and Guy L. Cornman gave their interpretation of Girl Scouting.

Henry N. Woolman, president of the Horse Shoe Trail Club, Inc., spoke of the beginnings of the trail, the management, and showed pictures of the fun on the trail, stressing the points of historical interest as the trail passed from Valley Forge to Manadon Gap.

At the Court of Awards, the following received recognition: Tenderfoot, Kathryn Burgess; Second Class, Nancy Sparks, Nancy Frick, Isabelle Knowles, Elmina McCurdy; First Class, Edith Rorke, Jane Cook; Needlewoman Proficiency Badge, Evelyn Parker; Laundress Badge, Betty Bailey; Life Saving Badge, Paula Van Valkenburgh; Electrician Badge, Peggy Hewitt; Health Winner, Elizabeth Cornman, Jane Cook, Edith Rorke, Peggy Hewitt; Child Nurse, Edith Rorke; First Aid, Evelyn Parker, Nancy Cook, Elmina McCurdy, Isabelle Knowles, Paula Van Valkenburgh, Betty Roberts, Beatrice Parker, Doris Ward, Betty Bailey; Home Nurse, Betty Roberts, Elmina McCurdy, Isabelle Knowles, Jane Cook, Nancy Cook, Paula Van Valkenburgh, Peggy Hewitt, Beatrice Parker; Silver Star, Doris Ward, Evelyn Parker, Isabelle Knowles, Nancy Sparks, Peggy Hewitt; Gold Star for perfect attendance, Nancy Cook, Jane Cook, Elmina McCurdy, Edith Rorke; Five year service stripe, Nancy Cook, Edith Rorke; a Thanks Badge, Miss Dorothy Bates; Gold Pin for the girl who had given most to the troop, Edith Rorke.

Bryn Mawr Troop 120 will present an adaptation of Dickens "Pickwick Papers" written and directed by Mrs. H. T. Martin, of Beach Spring, Anselma, on June 16, at 8 o'clock, at the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church. Admission will be twenty-five cents and all are urged to come. Marion Gaskill, Amy Booth, Elinor Clement, Eleanor Twaddell, Lois Coulbourn, and Molly Kock will take the parts in the play. The troop will also present the play at the Home for Aged Couples near Girard College, Francisville Park.

Mrs. Homer Eachus, of Merion, handicraft counselor for the Day Camp on Mrs. Howard Longstreth's estate, instructed the girls of Narberth Troop 125 in making stuffed puppets at their meeting Monday evening.

Continental Star at Narberth in "King and Chorus Girl"

"The King and the Chorus Girl," now at the Narberth, introduces the Continental star, Fernand Gravet, as a king who is bored by royal formalities and bumps into romance with an American chorus girl (Joan Blondell). As a count and countess in charge of the king's household are Edward Everett Horton and Mary Nash. Music and lyrics are by Werner R. Heymann and Ted Koehler.

Monday and Tuesday, "Head Over Heels in Love" stars Jessie Matthews, British dancer, in a musical romance wherein Jessie, a temperamental cabaret singer, falls in love with Louis Borell and ignores the love of Robert Fleming. Songs are by Gordon and Revel.

"Hats Off" Wednesday (Cash Award Night) is a romance with music featuring Mae Clark.

A special return engagement of "Escapade," considered by many the best picture in which Luise Rainer has appeared, is scheduled for next Thursday. William Powell is co-starred with Miss Rainer.

Narberth Bridge Club

A bridge talk given by Charles Goren, a Philadelphia bridge expert, at the Narberth Bridge Club last Wednesday evening, was very well attended.

Results of games played follows: May 22, top score, Allen Shubert and Mrs. H. Kessler; second place, Mrs. Talley and Miss Chrystie. May 24, top score, Thomas Crossan and William Boyle.

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Boy Scout Notes

Valley Forge Camporee
The Valley Forge Council of Delaware and Montgomery Counties, Boy Scouts of America, held their annual Camporee in Artillery Park, Valley Forge, last week-end.

One thousand Boy Scouts from more than two hundred scout troops in these two counties, on a natural patrol basis of two or more scouts, participated in this annual council activity and camped overnight on this historic site.

The following troops in the Valley Forge Council had patrols which qualified and received awards in recognition of their accomplishments: Ardmore No. 1, Ardmore No. 2, Ardmore No. 3, Bala-Cynwyd No. 2, Bala-Cynwyd No. 3, Bryn Mawr No. 1, Merion No. 1, Merion No. 2, Narberth No. 2, Rosemont No. 2, Wynnewood No. 1.

The four Main Line District Units who achieved the distinction of Grade A were the Buffalo Patrol of Merion Liberty Troop No. 1, W. E. Ferguson, scoutmaster, the Wild Indian Patrol of Merion Welch Dragon Troop No. 2, Samuel J. Bunting, Jr., scoutmaster, and the Stag Patrol and Pine Tree Patrol of Wynnewood Pine Tree Troop No. 1, Richard G. Knoll, scoutmaster.

Memorial Grouping Ready: Dedication Monday Morning

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Scouts; borough officials; Cub Pack; public and parochial school children; Mulieres; Italian-American Club; Narberth Fire Company and fire equipment.

The dedication services for the Memorial Grouping at Windsor and Wynnewood avenues will consist of invocation by the Rev. Robert E. Keighton, Narberth post chaplain; raising of colors; placing of wreath on the Memorial by Post Commander Frank J. Dwyer; presentation of the Memorial to the community by Frank A. Schrepfer; acceptance by Burgess John R. Hall; firing of volley; taps. At the meeting Monday night in the Legion Room of the Community Building, Mr. Schrepfer, who is general chairman of the Memorial Grouping Committee, reported that all necessary work will be finished on time. He made special mention of the aid given him by Charles H. Smith in moving various parts of the Memorial into place, and to Walter O'Sullivan for technical advice on the arrangement.

The two yew trees, donated by the Post Auxiliary, have been planted, while seven oaks are being planted by F. D. Moore & Sons, who contributed two of the trees.

The cannon, painted by Gordon Wunder, was placed in position Tuesday.

Eight new members were introduced at the meeting: Vahan Ashodian, Robert Roy Kessinger, Dr. Mark E. Morgan, Frank G. Foltz, Charles H. Smith, Dr. R. M. Staley, James L. Beighle and M. A. Gordly.

Church Notes

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
Rev. Cletus A. Senft, Pastor
Margaret Squier, Organist
Sunday, May 30, 1937:
9:45 A. M.—Bible school.
11 A. M.—The morning service. The American Legion Post will worship with us.
6:45 P. M.—Luther League.
Tuesday:
1:30 P. M.—Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Senft, 317 Grayling avenue.
8 P. M.—Council meeting.

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Narberth Methodist Episcopal
Rev. W. Vernon Middleton, Minister
Sunday, May 30:
9:45 A. M.—Church school.
11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "The Value of Memorial Day."
6:45 P. M.—Intermediate Epworth League.

Monday, May 31:
8:15 P. M.—The motion picture "Ten Nights in a Barroom" produced with sound. Admission free. The public is cordially invited.

Tuesday, June 1:
8 P. M.—Church School Board meeting.

Wednesday, June 2:
10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M.—Meetings of the Philadelphia Conference Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Thursday, June 3:
6:30 P. M.—Junior choir.
8 P. M.—Choir rehearsal.

Friday, June 4:
8 P. M.—First quarterly conference.

Saturday, June 5:
Annual church school picnic at Darlington Park.

Thursday, June 3:
6-9 P. M.—Annual Strawberry Festival of the Ladies' Aid Society. Tickets, 25 cents.

The Presbyterian Church
Rev. Archer E. Anderson, Th.D., Pastor.

9:45 A. M.—Bible school.
11 A. M.—Morning worship. Dr. Anderson will preach the second of a series of three sermons for this June's student graduates. Theme: "A Perfect Guide."



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11 A. M.—The junior church, conducted by Mrs. Digby and Mrs. Cooke.
11 A. M.—Children's nursery, under the supervision of Mrs. Gilfillan.
6:45 P. M.—The three Christian Endeavor groups.
7:45 P. M.—Narberth's happy Bible hour. Sermon by the pastor.
Wednesday:
8 P. M.—Prayer meeting.

Baptist Church of the Evangel
Robert E. Keighton, Minister
Stanley T. Reiff, Organist

Sunday, May 30:
9:45 A. M.—The church school.
11 A. M.—Morning worship. A Memorial Day sermon by Charles R. Leech. Topic: "Sowing in Peace" James III scripture.

7 P. M.—The young people's meeting. Leader: Nancy Simpson.

Tuesday, June 1:
10:30 A. M.—The White Cross.

Wednesday, June 2:
8 P. M.—Mid-week meeting of the church. A discussion of the Beatitudes.



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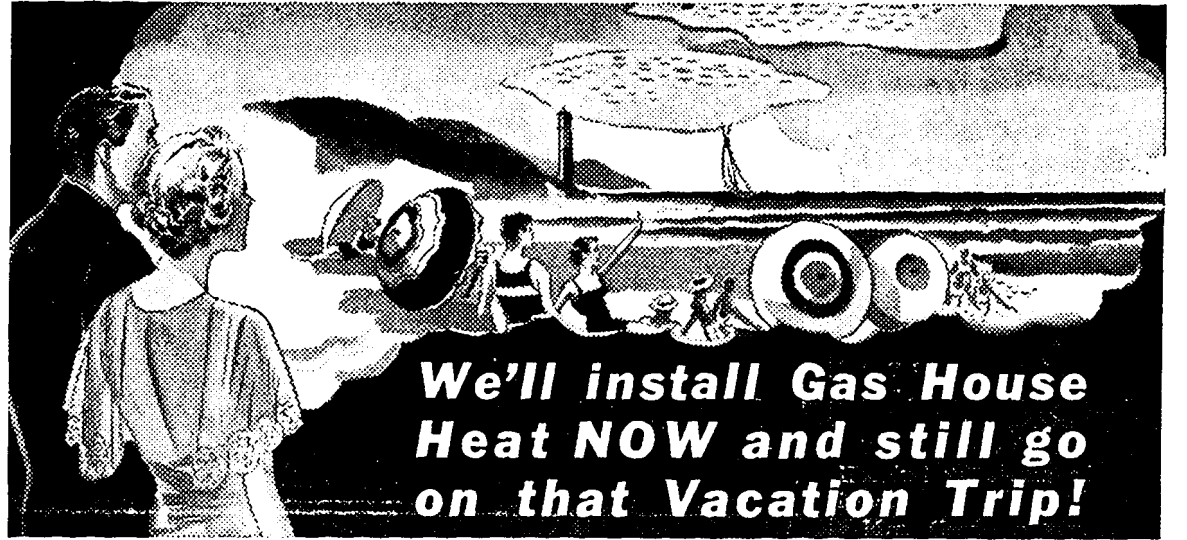
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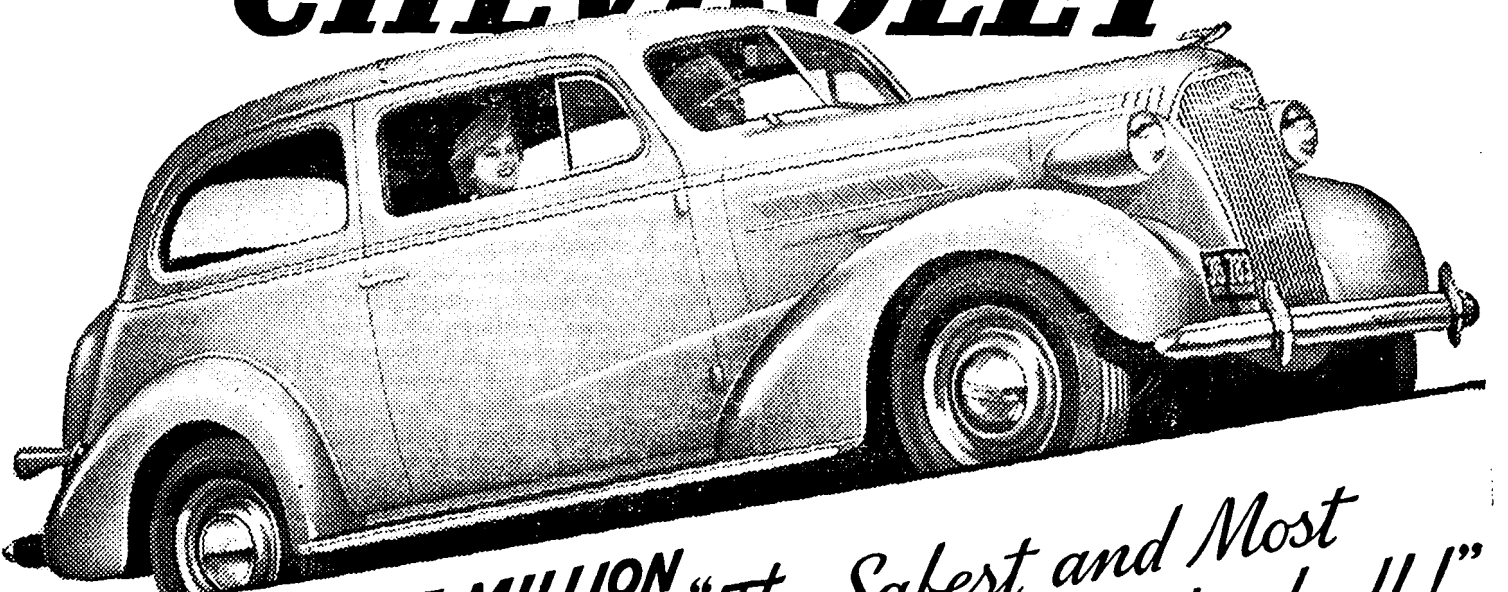
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Mulieres to Give Benefit Party for Needlework Guild

Final plans were made for the card party this coming Wednesday in Elm Hall, at the home of the president of the Mulieres of the Narberth Fire Company, last Thursday morning. The party is being given to raise funds for the purchase of a sewing machine for the Narberth Branch of the Needlework Guild.

Sandwiches and coffee will be served at 12.30. There are 25 patronesses for the affair and reservations may be made with any of the following: Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, Mrs. Lloyd B. Edgerton, Mrs. Walter R. O'Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. John E. Burrell, Mrs. Charles Harnden, Mrs. Edith Gilpin, Mrs. Charles Haist, Mrs. Charles L. Viguers, Jr., Mrs. Lindley Trotter, Mrs. George Michener, Miss Laura M. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Baker, Mrs. E. B. Hoskins, Mrs. Ben Taylor, Mrs. Stanley Haigh, Mrs. Albert Nulty, Mrs. John Wetzell, Mrs. Frank X. Purcell, Mrs. Charles A. Hammer, Mrs. J. L. Minick, Mrs. William Mulholland, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. H. F. Darnes, Mrs. Joseph Berta, Mrs. Edward Haws and Mrs. Stewart Anderson.

Club's Board and Chairmen Entertained by Mrs. Heath

Mrs. Ralph C. Heath, of Shirley road, entertained members of the board and committee chairmen of the Women's Community Club of Narberth, at a luncheon and bridge at her home Tuesday.

Those present were Mrs. Edward W. Heymann, the new president, Mrs. H. F. Stevens, Mrs. Verna R. Woodcock, Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, Mrs. William Levis, Mrs. E. C. Batchelor, Mrs. C. E. Starr, Mrs. Leon Webster Melcher, Mrs. J. E. Burrell, Mrs. C. J. Goodyear, Mrs. George W. Orth, Mrs. E. C. Griswold, Mrs. William H. Muller, Mrs. C. Arley Farmer, Mrs. J. S. Harris, Mrs. W. R. Knauer, Mrs. J. H. Speck, Mrs. P. H. Marrow, Mrs. C. J. Brunel, Mrs. J. A. Hongler, Mrs. J. H. Miller, Mrs. E. B. Hoskins, Mrs. R. A. Mizner, Mrs. Clifford W. Bates, Mrs. E. J. Pollock and Mrs. Harriett Heath. The guests presented Mrs. Heath with a Past President's Pin.

Red Cross to Hold Life Saving Classes June 15-19

The Main Line Branch No. 1 will conduct a Red Cross Life Saving Class from June 15 to 19 and through the courtesy of Haverford School will have the use of the latter's swimming pool.

A Junior Life Saving course for boys and girls from 12 to 16 years will be held from 10 A. M. to 12 noon daily and a Senior class for boys and girls 17 years and older will be held from 4 P. M. to 6 P. M. The course of instruction will be free and upon satisfactory completion a Junior or Senior Red Cross Life Saving Certificate will be awarded.

Anyone interested in attending these classes please communicate with American Red Cross Headquarters, Times Medical Building, Ardmore, Ardmore 4017.

Rosemont Couple Injured in Crash at Narberth

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Goodman, 3d, Rosemont, were injured last Saturday when their automobile struck a pole at Wynnewood road and Wynnewood avenues, Narberth.

They were taken to the Bryn Mawr Hospital with cuts of the face and head.

Mrs. Goodman was to have been matron of honor that afternoon at the wedding of her brother, Nicholas Waln Morris, and Miss Joyce C. Plumb, of Berwyn, while Mr. Goodman was to have been an usher.

New Invention by Cynwyd Man of Interest to Photographers

A Scittometer, a device for the measuring and determining the speed of shutters of cameras is on exhibition at the Franklin Institute in Philadelphia. All those interested in photography should see this invention which was invented by Everett H. Bickley, of Penarth road, Cynwyd. The name Scittometer is derived from the Anglo-Saxon word Scyttan, meaning shutter. It will be on exhibition at the Institute until early in the Fall.

Receiving Congratulations

The Reverend and Mrs. W. Vernon Middleton, of Essex avenue, Narberth, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Patricia Jean, on May 7.

Mrs. Middleton is the former Miss Miriam Horst, of Chambersburg.

Mr. Middleton is the pastor of the Narberth Methodist Episcopal Church.

Merion Notes

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott McFadden of Valley road will entertain at a house party over the Memorial Day week-end at their summer home in Ocean City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Giraud Foote of Hyland will entertain at a dinner and bridge on Monday evening, June 7, to celebrate their wedding anniversary. The guests will include the members of their bridal party and a few additional friends, who will be Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert F. Foote, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark Creagar, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramsey McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. John Pennack Makiver, Mr. and Mrs. William Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schwartz Perkins of Larchmont, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. A. Balfour Brehman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hellerman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. George D. MacCool, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Groff, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan Harr, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wendler, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Biddle K. Ringe, Miss Elaine Supplee, Miss Janet Strawbridge, Mrs. Margaret Smith Hubbard, Mr. Charles Stanley Deacon, Mr. John Wiley Faries and Mr. J. Rouse Burns. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foote over that week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Swayne of Valley road will spend the Memorial Day week-end at Skypot in the Poconos. Mrs. Swayne spent two days in New York this week.

Mrs. John A. Brooke of Heath road entertained at luncheon at the Philadelphia Country Club before the card party given for Hahnemann Hospital. There were eight guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reinhart, Jr., accompanied by Miss Anne Latta of New York, will leave by automobile on Saturday for Annapolis, where they will attend June Week Festivities at the United States Naval Academy, where their son, Midshipman George R. Reinhart, 3rd, is a third year student. He will leave on June 4 with the fleet for a cruise abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kromer of Bea-com lane and Mr. and Mrs. S. Radner Kromer of Stoneway lane will spend the Memorial Day week-end at their summer home in North Wildwood, N. J.

Mrs. Edward Middleton Story of City Line, Merion, will give a swimming party followed by a luncheon and bridge at Green Hill Farms, Overbrook, on Wednesday, June 2, in honor of Miss Margaret Emma Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Richardson of the Barclay and Miss Elise Story Metzger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Story Metzger of Aldan Park Manor, Germantown.

The guests will be Miss Bessie E. Norris, Miss Anne W. Huber, Miss Lydia W. Brown, Miss Martha Moorhouse, Miss Eleanor C. J. Mathieu, Miss Helen L. Swain, Miss Jeanetta M. Burpee, Miss Sarah E. Wells, Miss Gloria M. Fehling, Miss Julia Allen, Miss Marjorie Dickinson, Miss Elizabeth L. Brown, Miss Anne Freeman, Miss Betsy Rudderow, Miss Constance L. Clark, Miss Alice Dunn, Miss Elizabeth Dunn, Miss Ida Jane Norris, Miss Lois A. Fernley, Miss Mary P. Frederick, Miss Mary Hacker, Miss Frances Wilson, Miss Nina R. Hurley, Miss Mary S. Houston, Miss Elizabeth R. Ketcham, Miss Mary A. Larzelere, Miss Mary L. Beardsley, Miss Mary E. Gaylord, Miss Anne W. Mayer, Miss Mary B. Timanus, Mrs. Frederick Corbus, Jr., Mrs. Roger W. Griswold and Mrs. George W. Betz, Jr.

Mrs. William D. Foulkrod, Jr., will entertain at a garden party at Sher-rilea, her home in Merion, on Wednesday, June 2, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Jacob Foulkrod, 3d, of Mayfair House, Germantown. The cards of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sherrerd, Jr., of Merion, are enclosed in the invitations.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alden Tift, of Baird road, will entertain at a large buffet supper at their home in Med-ford Lakes, N. J., on Saturday.

Holmes Troutman Graduates With Honors From U. of Ala.

Holmes Fielding Troutman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford L. Troutman, of 501 South Narberth avenue, Merion, graduated Tuesday at the head of his class at the University of Alabama.

Troutman formerly attended Lower Merion High School, Valley Forge Military Academy and Drexel Institute.

Planning to enter the engineering corps of the Regular Army, he has taken examinations for a second lieutenant's rank and stood first in his government tests.

His services have been sought by a large corporation which sends scouts to colleges and universities of the country at commencement time.

Prominent College Student



MARGARET HIGGINS
of Lodges lane, Cynwyd, who graduates from Smith College in June.

Brookline Club Pool Schedules Special Memorial Day Events

A special program of water events has been planned for Memorial Day at the Brookline Country Club's "Rain-bow Pool," following the grand opening of the pool at eight o'clock Saturday morning. Life guards from nearby universities are set to lead races, contests, and exhibitions of various sorts.

The pool has been completely re-decorated this year, under the new management of J. Raymond Sharp and George L. Carley, both of Narberth. The color scheme installed is cool blue and white, while anchors and sea horses have been painted on the fence encircling the pool to further add to the nautical appearance. All attendants will be dressed in sailors' garb.

The latest scientific methods will be practiced at the Brookline pool this year to guard against "athlete's foot," often picked up in unhygienic bathing resorts.

The Brookline Country Club is located on Mill road in Brookline.

Troop No. 230 Takes Trip

Girl Scout Troop No. 230, leader Mrs. Homer Eachus, took a trip to Bowman's Hill last Saturday, where they visited the observatory and took a nature walk and studied the flowers. Those who accompanied the girls were Mrs. Eachus, Mrs. Francis H. Malony, Mrs. Martin C. Magee, and Mrs. F. H. Floyd.

Luncheon and dinner were served.

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United Campaign Contributions May be Sent to Ardmore Office

As the United Campaign enters the final stage of its public appeal, Rodney K. Merrick, chairman of the Main Line Division, this week issued an appeal for support from those who have not yet contributed.

"There no doubt are a number of persons in the Main Line section whom our workers have not been able to contact, for one reason or another," Mr. Merrick said. "Often our workers have found that persons are not at home, or out of town, when they called. We are convinced that they have called at the homes and offices of many persons who would have made contributions had they been in at the time.

"Main Liners who wish to contribute are now urged to send their contributions by mail to the United Campaign office, 12 Cricket avenue, Ardmore, or to present them there personally if that is more convenient. Should they prefer to have a solicitor call, they may telephone Ardmore 4328."

Dr. H. F. McDuffee will Lecture at National Dental Convention

Dr. H. F. McDuffee, of Haverford avenue, Narberth, has been selected to be one of the clinicians at the national convention of the American Dental Association to be held the week of July 12 at the Ambassador Hotel in Atlantic City.

Dr. McDuffee's clinic will be on the subject of partial gold dentures. In addition to the clinics and lectures for professional men, there will be numerous instructive health exhibits which will be open to the public.

Dr. McDuffee has also been appointed to serve on the Dental Representative Committee of the Goodrich Commission.

Chapter's June Luncheon 7th

The annual June luncheon of the Jephtha Abbott Chapter of N. S. D. A. R. will be held June 7 at the home of Mrs. James R. Cameron, 222 Derwen road, Merion.

There will be an election of delegates to the State Conference and a musical program. The hostesses will be the members of the board.

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